



Michael P. Manfredi

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Michael Manfredi defends companies and individuals in the areas of premises liability, product liability, transportation, employment and labor, and insurance defense. A courtroom veteran, Michael has tried cases in Georgia state and superior courts and the federal district courts in Georgia, and he represents clients in the appellate courts as well.

Michael's clients range from local to national to international entities. They include commercial and multifamily residential premises owners, including REITs and other ownership groups; hotels; property managers; chemical and product manufacturers and distributors; and members of the ridesharing and micro-mobility industries. He also represents companies on both sides of issues in contract disputes, including disagreements and litigation over indemnification.

Favoring a holistic approach to managing the litigation process, Michael first seeks quick and cost-effective resolutions to potentially protracted liability cases, accelerating turnaround through procedural dismissals, substantive dismissals, successful tenders and negotiated settlements.

Prior to joining Wilson Elser, Michael worked at a highly respected civil litigation firm in Atlanta, Georgia, and gained significant experience while serving as an assistant attorney general at the Office of the State Attorney General, where he represented state officers and officials sued for alleged constitutional violations and tort claims and appeared before federal and state judges for trials, oral argument and pretrial conferences.

Education

- Georgia State University College of Law (J.D., *cum laude*, 2010)

Services

- Appellate
- Complex Tort & General Casualty
- Construction
- Employment & Labor
- Insurance & Reinsurance Defense
- Italy
- Municipal/Local Government
- National Trial Team
- Life Sciences
- Transportation

- vice president, Moot Court
- Student Bar Association 3L Senator-at-Large
- Budget Review Committee member
- Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, International Trade and Corporate Law
- Wake Forest University (B.A., 2007)
 - Dean's List
 - All-ACC Academic Honor Roll

Bar Admissions

- Georgia

Court Admissions

- Supreme Court of Georgia
- U.S. Court of Appeals, Eleventh Circuit
- U.S. District Court, Northern District of Georgia
- U.S. District Court, Middle District of Georgia
- U.S. District Court, Southern District of Georgia
- Court of Appeals of Georgia

Professional Affiliations

- Marist Alumni Lawyer's Association
- Claims and Litigation Management Alliance
- Atlanta Bar Association
- Federalist Society for Law and Public Policy Studies
- Georgia Italian-American Bar Association

Awards & Honors

- Selected for inclusion in The Legal 500 United States in Cannabis Tier 4, 2025
- Selected for inclusion in *The Best Lawyers in America® Ones to Watch™*, 2024-2025
- Selected for inclusion in *The Best Lawyers in America®*: Ones to Watch in the areas of Construction Law; Insurance Law; Municipal Law, 2021-2023
- Selected for inclusion in the National Trial Lawyers Top 40 Under 40

Languages

- Italian

- Spanish